



**Animal Services Office  
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**Animal Services Implementation Plan  
PHHS Subcommittee  
April 2012**

1. Revise Mission of Animal Services - Completed
2. Davenport Adoption Center – Completed. APA at TLAC as of 11/23/11; AAC operating there as of 3/23/12
3. Continue (Permanently Fund) Make-Ready Capacity Pilot Project - Completed
4. Offsite Adoptions – Ongoing via TLAC and other events
5. Additional Veterinary Capacity for Injured/Ill Shelter Animals - Completed
6. Behaviorist Position – Program development has begun, elements implemented
7. Owner Relinquishment Policy – Completed
8. Enhance Foster Care Program
  - January: 48 animals adopted out of foster homes
  - February: 56 animals adopted out of foster homes
  - March: 43 animals adopted out of foster homes
  - January: Average of 120 animals in 116 active foster homes
  - February: Average of 112 animals in 83 active foster homes
  - March: Average of 180 animals in 82 foster homes
    - Of those 66 were neonatal kittens

*For comparison, there were only 7 neonatal kittens in foster at the end of Feb*
9. Enhance Spay Street Program – 4 cats & 82 dogs, for a total of 86 animals, received surgery in March
10. Provide Sterilization Services at Rabies Clinics – 179 surgeries provided, 32 appointments scheduled
11. Provide Sterilization Services for Owned Cats – in progress
12. Emergency Care Fund – 560 vouchers issued this year to date
13. Feral Kitten Foster Program – in progress
14. Stray Cat Relocation – 51 cats transferred to AHS for TNR (SCRIP) in the month of March
15. Public Awareness Campaign- ID your Pet campaign
16. Free Animal Sterilization Programs – Completed
17. Feral Cat Sterilization – Completed
18. PARVO Prevention Program – 90 vaccination vouchers distributed via 2 Rabies clinics
19. Provide At Risk List to Partners – Completed
20. Last Resort Adoptions – Ongoing
21. Pit-Bull Task Force – N/A
22. Microchip Animals Not Relinquished – ID pet programs in place
23. Revamp the Animal Services Website –New austintexas.gov site is up, developing
24. Utilize 311 to Provide Pet Re-homing Options – Ongoing: 311 upgrade completed
25. Owner Surrender Acknowledgement
26. Animal Acclimation Program – In progress via dog and cat volunteers and staff
27. Rescue Group Task Force – Completed: new guidelines and application
28. Counseling at Intake - AAC staff providing intake interview and counseling
29. Contact Reno, NV – Completed
30. Software/Database Review – Ongoing
31. New Measures – Revisiting
32. Fee for Wildlife Relocation – Completed

33. Intake Fee – Completed

34. Feral Cat Food Bank Location – TLAC new temporary location

Total Live Outcome Rate: FY12

October: 93%

November: 94%

December: 92%

January: 92%

February: 90%

March: 93%